



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor ..... William A. Fuglevand et al.  
Assignee ..... Avista Laboratories, Inc.  
Group Art Unit ..... 1745  
Examiner ..... Stephen J. Kalafut  
Attorney's Docket No. ....AV1-059  
Title: Fuel Cell Power Systems and Methods of Controlling a Fuel Cell Power System

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

To: Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 17, 2003 for 1 month(s) from January 17, 2004 to February 17, 2004.

The fee for the extension is included in the enclosed check.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore.

Charge or credit Deposit Account No. 23-0925 with any shortage or overpayment of the above fee.

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